

REMARKS

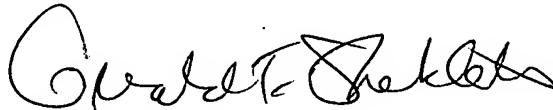
In response to the Restriction Requirement of December 26, 2006, Applicant hereby elects claims 1-6 drawn to a pharmaceutical association or composition, with traverse. Applicant believes insofar as all of the claims are dependent from one another or substantially related to one another they comprise the same invention and accordingly the subject Restriction Requirement is not appropriate. Further, Applicant believes that because of this relationship with the claims to one another that the application can be easily searched in a single search and accordingly Patent Office procedure requires that no restriction be made.

Applicant has amended the claims to make it more clear that the non-elected claims 7-12 are each dependent upon claim 1 directly or indirectly. While claims 7-12 have been withdrawn, Applicant reserves the right of rejoinder of these claims related as product and process of using under MPEP 806.05(h).

Applicant hereby requests reconsideration and reexamination thereof.

With the above amendments and remarks, this application is considered ready for allowance and Applicant earnestly solicits an early notice of same. Should the Examiner be of the opinion that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of the subject application, he is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at the below-listed number.

Respectfully submitted,
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